

## ABSTRACT

Described is a tree or shrub shaping guide comprising at least one elongated support positionable adjacent an object to be shaped; at least one shaped guide; and a connection mechanism connecting the shaped guide to the at least one elongated support, which comprises  
5 movement elements to allow the shaped guide to move relative to the at least one elongated support; wherein the at least one shaped guide allows movement along a shaped path and enables a user to operate a cutting mechanism to shape an object such as a tree or shrub.